

Town of Benton
Select Board Meeting
Monday August 9, 2021

Select Board Members: William R. Darcy, Chair; Regina Elliott, Kimberli Carpenter

Also Present: Dwight Swauger, Treasurer; Joe Boutin, Jr., Road Contractor

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The meeting was called to order by Chairman Darcy at 6:30 PM.

Member Elliott moved approval of the July 26, 2021 minutes, seconded by Member Carpenter and approved.

Chairman Darcy noted the completion and uploading of DRA forms MS-535, MS-232 and MS-60A to the web portal.

Chairman Darcy noted the presence of a disabled RV trailer in the cemetery parking lot and his contacts with the State Police to reach the owner to make sure it would be moved soon.

Given the wet July and early August the vegetative growth suggests an earlier mowing of the cemetery and town hall lawns than originally planned and the Chairman will request our contractor to mow them soon.

There was a discussion of electoral requests for information to the Town Clerk and Treasurer.

Treasurer Swauger reported the operating account balance of \$275,034.77 and the ICS account balance of \$233,592.60. The Board signed checks prepared by the Treasurer.

Chairman Darcy discussed the Infrastructure Bill which passed the United States Senate and its impact in Benton.

The Board's next meeting is August 23, 2021.

The meeting was adjourned at 7.06 PM.